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MEMORANDUM

TO: Boston Retirement Board

FROM: Joseph E. Connarton, Executive Director

RE: Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2017 (Non-Teachers)

DATE: November 30, 2015

Required Fiscal Year 2017 Appropriation: \$235,770,904

This Commission is hereby furnishing you with the amount to be appropriated for your retirement system for Fiscal Year 2017 which commences July 1, 2016.

Attached please find summary information based on the present funding schedule for your system and the portion of the Fiscal Year 2017 appropriation to be paid by each of the governmental units within your system. Once again we used the Early Retirement Incentive (ERI) bases determined previously. The ERI column also includes adjustments made due to the 2010 legislation regarding Boston teachers (credits for the crossover payment and additional FY11 payment) and the 2009 legislation regarding retired sheriffs of Suffolk County.

The assumed payment date in the funding schedule is July 1. It appears that several of the governmental units make payments on a monthly basis. The Board should consider whether to adjust the assumed payment date in the next funding schedule and/or the amount of the appropriations for these units going forward.

If you have any questions, please contact PERAC's Actuary, Jim Lamenzo, at (617) 666-4446 Extension 921.

Attachments

cc: Office of the Mayor

City Council c/o City Clerk





Boston (non-teachers) Retirement Board

Projected Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2017 - July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017

Aggregate amount of appropriation: \$235,770,904

Fiscal Year	Estimated Cost of Benefits	Funding Schedule (Excluding ERI)	ERI	Total Appropriation
FY 2017	\$446,013,430	\$250,058,719	(\$14,287,815)	\$235,770,904
FY 2018	\$455,034,379	\$268,062,476	(\$14,019,327)	\$254,043,149
FY 2019	\$464,235,748	\$287,470,250	(\$13,738,757)	\$273,731,493
FY 2020	\$473,621,143	\$308,391,246	(\$13,445,562)	\$294,945,684
FY 2021	\$483,194,247	\$330,943,147	(\$13,139,172)	\$317,803,975

Pension Fund Allocation	Pension Reserve Fund Allocation	Transfer From PRF to PF	
\$235,770,904	\$0	\$210,242,526	
\$254,043,149	\$0	\$200,991,230	
\$273,731,493	\$0	\$190,504,255	
\$294,945,684	\$0	\$178,675,459	
\$317,803,975	\$0	\$165,390,272	

The Total Appropriation column shown above is in accordance with your current funding schedule and the scheduled payment date(s) in that schedule. Whenever payments are made after the scheduled date(s), the total appropriation should be revised to reflect interest at the rate assumed in the most recent actuarial valuation. Payments should be made before the end of the fiscal year.

For illustration, we have shown the amount to be transferred from the Pension Reserve Fund to the Pension Fund to meet the estimated Cost of Benefits for each year. If there are sufficient assets in the Pension Fund to meet the Cost of Benefits, this transfer is optional.

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Appropriation by Governmental Unit

Fiscal Year 2017 - July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017

Aggregate amount of appropriation: \$235,770,904

UNIT	Percent of Aggregate Amount	Funding Schedule (excluding ERI)	ERI	Total Appropriation
City of Boston Boston Housing Authority Boston Redevelopment Authority Boston Water and Sewer Commission Sheriff of Suffolk County Public Health Commission	83.6424% 4.5978% 0.8491% 3.7609% 0.0000% 7.1498%	\$209,155,114 \$11,497,200 \$2,123,249 \$9,404,458 \$0 \$17,878,698	(\$19,663,549) \$406,552 \$192,845 \$517,940 \$3,874,532 \$383,865	\$189,491,565 \$11,903,752 \$2,316,094 \$9,922,398 \$3,874,532 \$18,262,563
UNIT TOTAL	100%	\$250,058,719	\$-14,287,815	\$235,770,904

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